Article - Family Law Section 8-208(a) Annotated Code of Maryland (1984 Volume and 1987 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article - Family Law Section 8-208(d) Annotated Code of Maryland (1984 Volume and 1987 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Family Law

8-208.

- (a) (1) When the court grants an annulment or a limited or absolute divorce, regardless of how the family home or family use personal property is titled, owned, or leased, the court may:
- (i) decide that 1 of the parties shall have the sole possession and use of that property; or
- (ii) divide the possession and use of the property between the parties.
- (2) The court may exercise these powers pendente lite.
- (D) AN ORDER GIVING A PARTY THE SOLE POSSESSION AND USE OF THE FAMILY HOME UNDER SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION DOES NOT AFFECT THE RIGHT OF THE OTHER PARTY TO CLAIM THE FAMILY HOME AS THAT PARTY'S PRINCIPAL RESIDENCE FOR ANY-PURPOSE TAX PURPOSES.
- SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1988.

Approved May 2, 1988.